

PATENT APPLICATION

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

Docket No: Q67929

Satoshi FUJIOKA

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Group Art Unit: 2854

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Examiner: Minh H. Chau

For: RECORDING APPARATUS

## PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

A Request for Continued Examination (RCE) is being filed concurrently. In the RCE, it is requested that the Amendment under 37 C.F.R.§ 1.116, filed July 9, 2003, be entered.

After entering that Amendment, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

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